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January 22, 2015

TO:

**Each Supervisor** 

FROM:

Cynthia A. Harding, M.P.H.

Interim Director

SUBJECT:

NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO

ACCEPT A NOTICE OF AWARD FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION FOR NATIONAL HIV BEHAVIORAL

Cynthia X. Harding

SURVEILLANCE

This is to notify you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on February 15, 2011, to accept future awards and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National HIV Behavioral Surveillance – Los Angeles Project Notice of Award (NA) Number 1U1BPS003256-01, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

Under this authority, I will accept NA Number 5U1BPS003256-04 REVISED, Amendment 4, issued by the CDC on November 17, 2014, that approves a change in key personnel for the Authorized Signing Official for this grant from Douglas M. Frye, M.D. to Michael L.P. Green, Ph.D. All other terms and conditions remain in effect. County Counsel has reviewed and approved the NA as to use and this delegated authority action.

This award allows DPH to monitor and collect data for the prevalence of HIV risk behaviors, HIV infection, and the use of HIV prevention programs among populations in Los Angeles County who are at increased risk for HIV. These funds support salaries, benefits and operating expenses.

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If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

CAH:vv DA #03173

c: Interim Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Acting Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors